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For: RESILIENT SCRAP STRIPPER FOR A CORRUGATED BOARD ROTARY CUTTING DIE	-7 MAI	1
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In response to the official office action of March 29, 2000 relating to the above-identified United States Patent Application, the Patent and Trademark Office is requested to amend claim 8 as follows:

Please amend claim 8 as follows:

- 8. (amended) A method of cutting corrugated board passing between a rotary cutting die and an anvil, stripping one or more cut scrap pieces from a scrap cutting blade, and directing the cut scrap from the cutting die and anvil, comprising;
- (a) directing a sheet of corrugated board through a nip area defined between the cutting die and anvil;